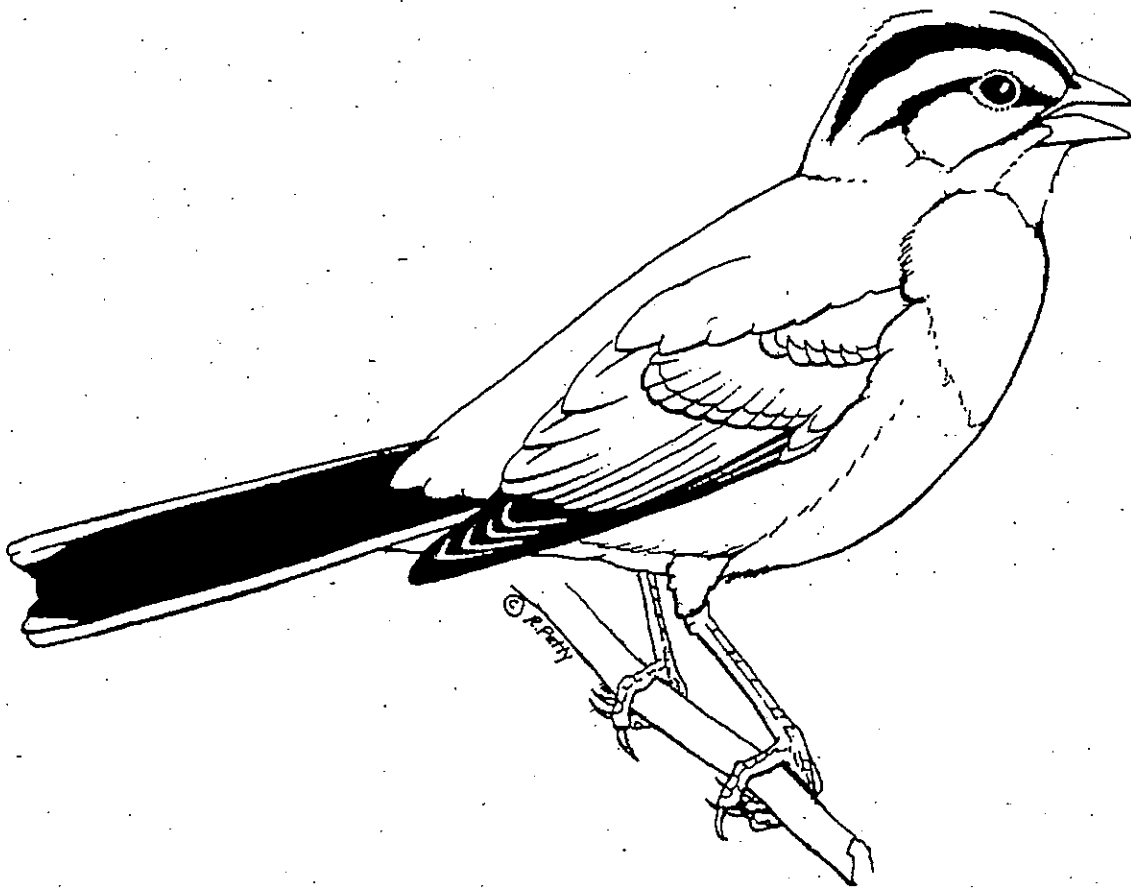
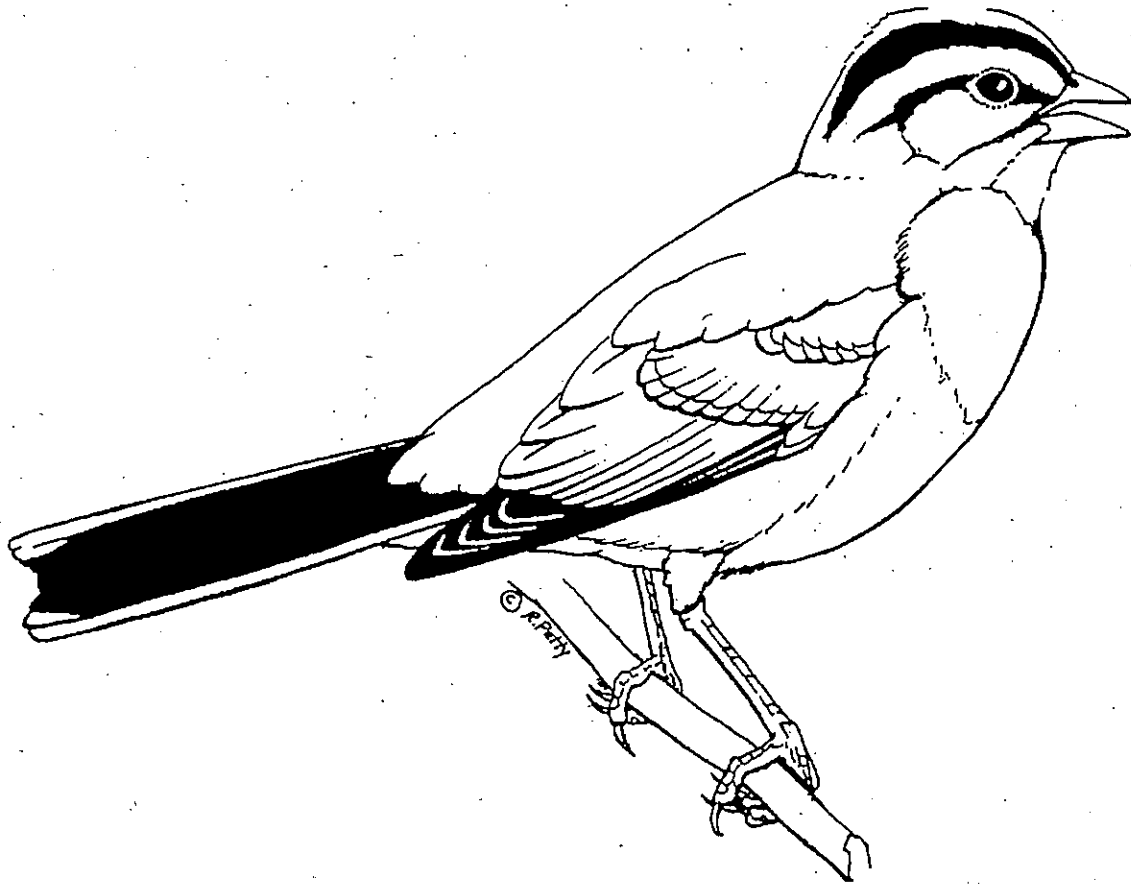


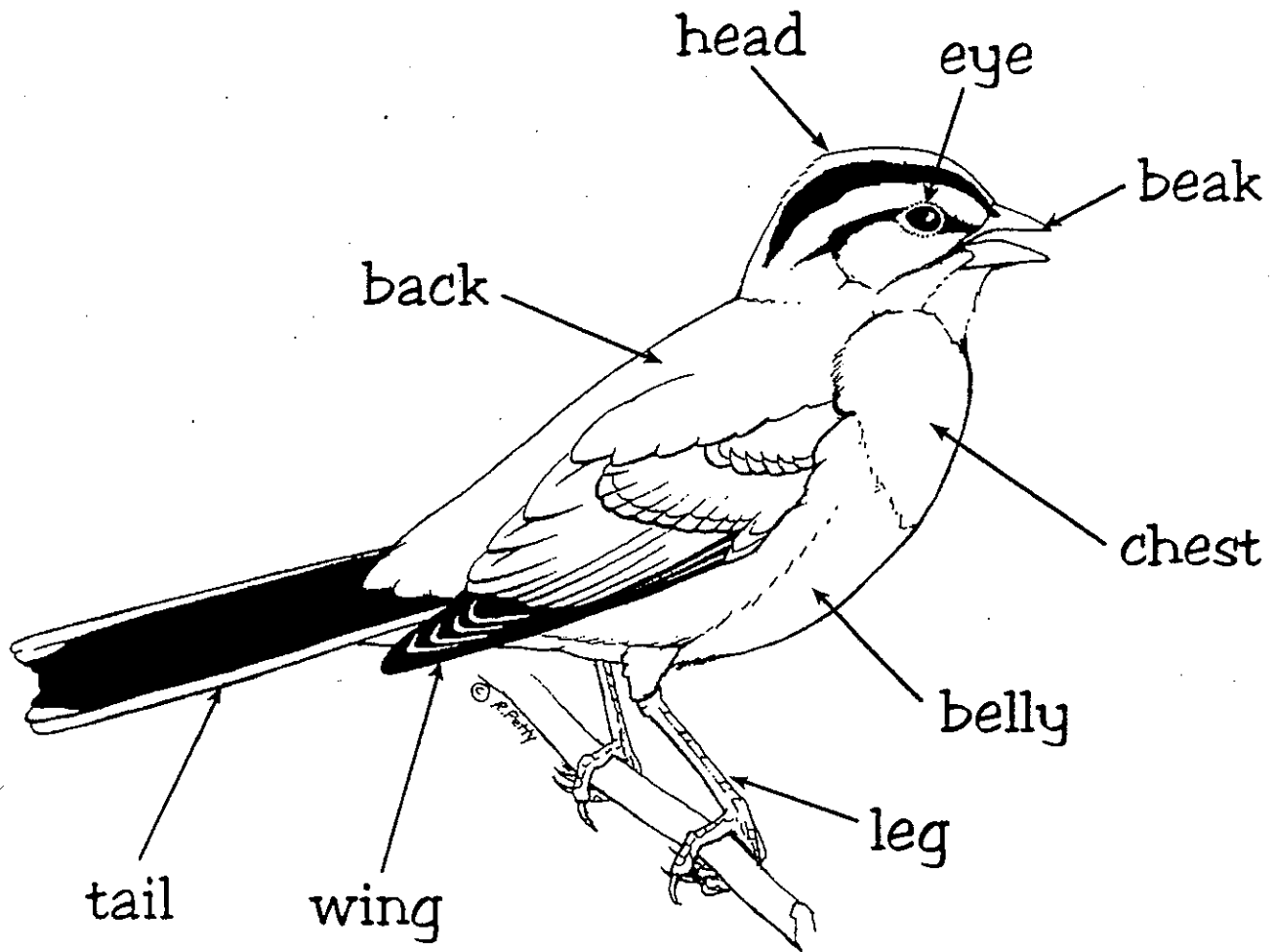
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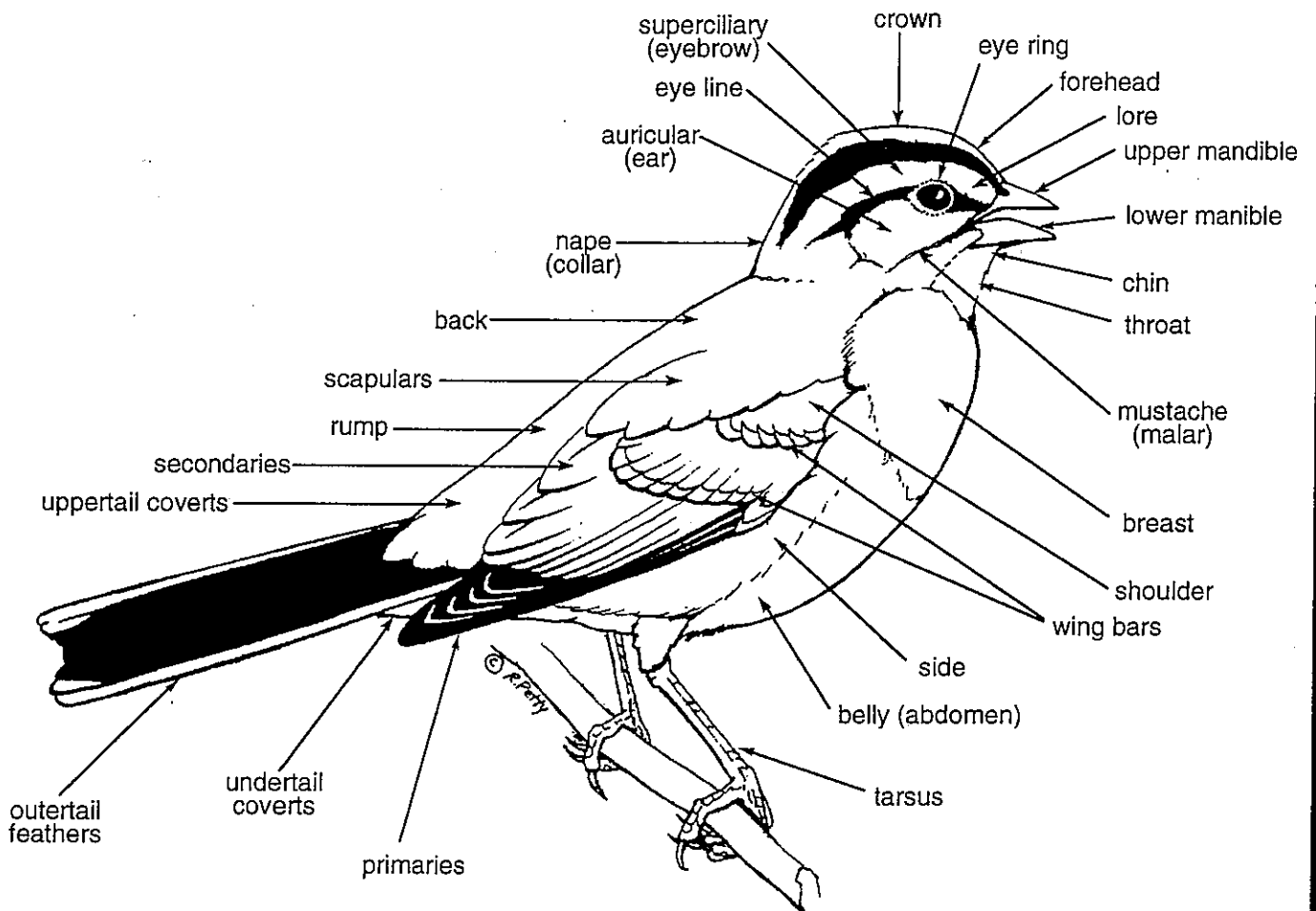


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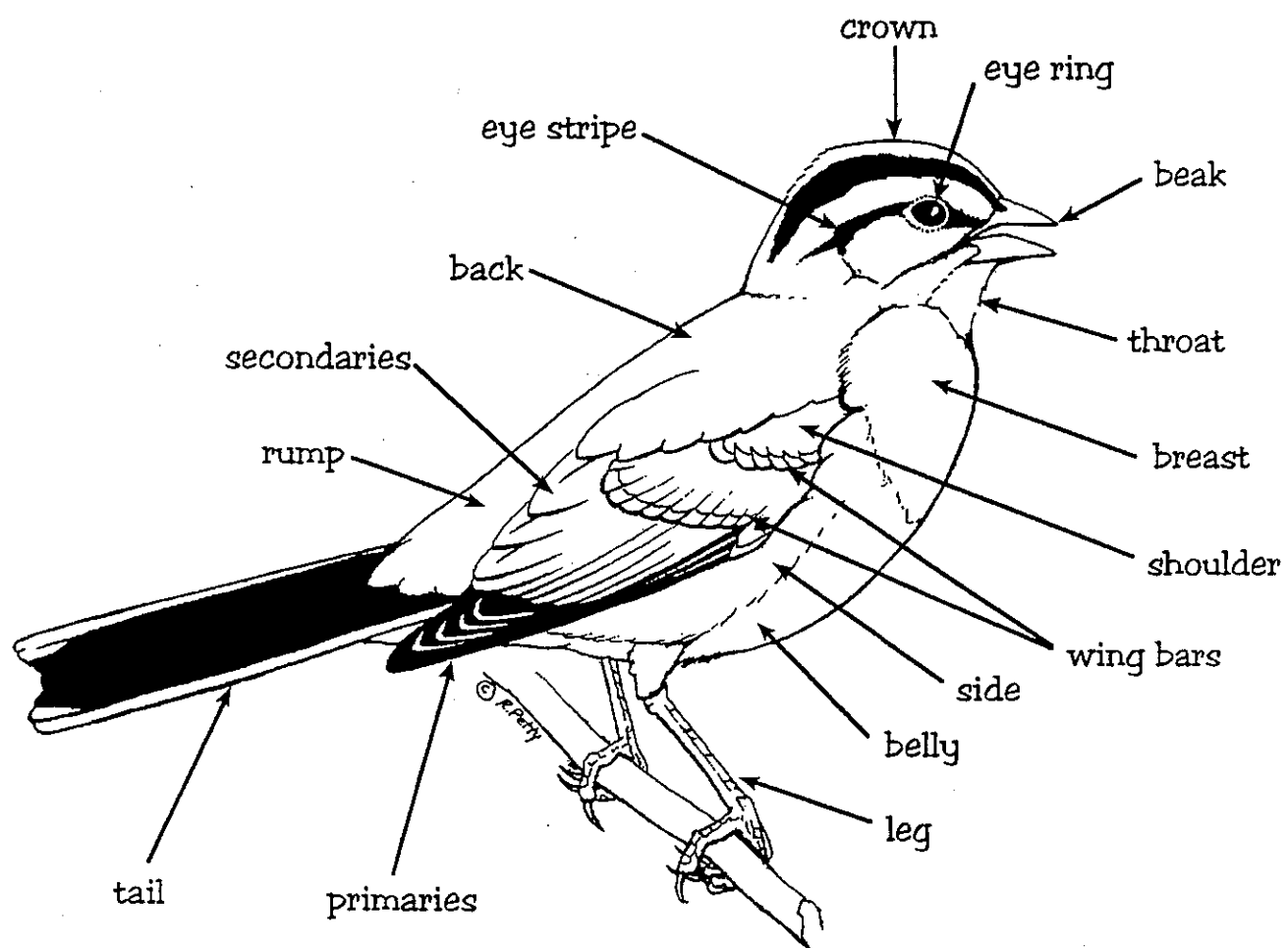


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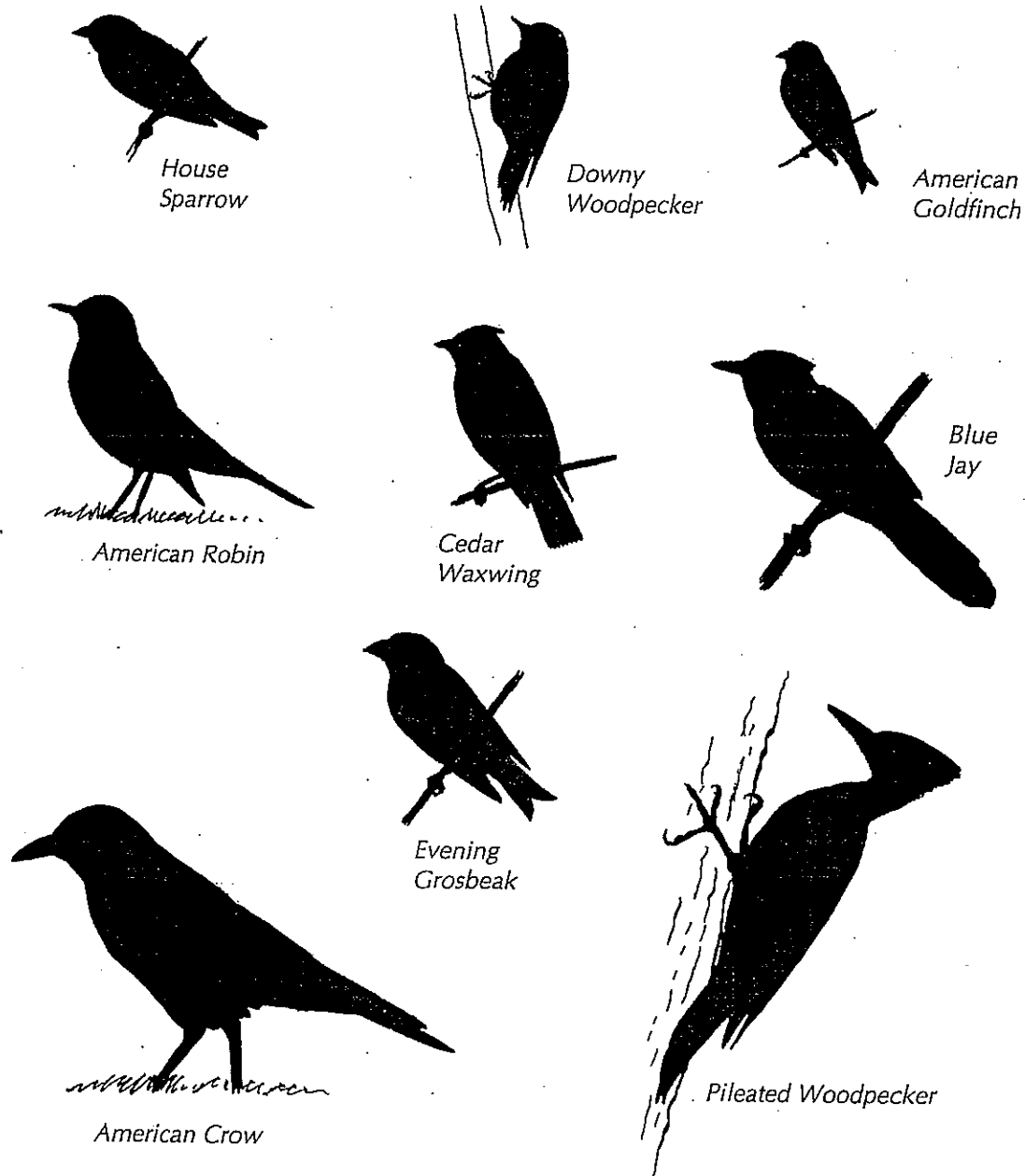


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Bird Size Silhouettes

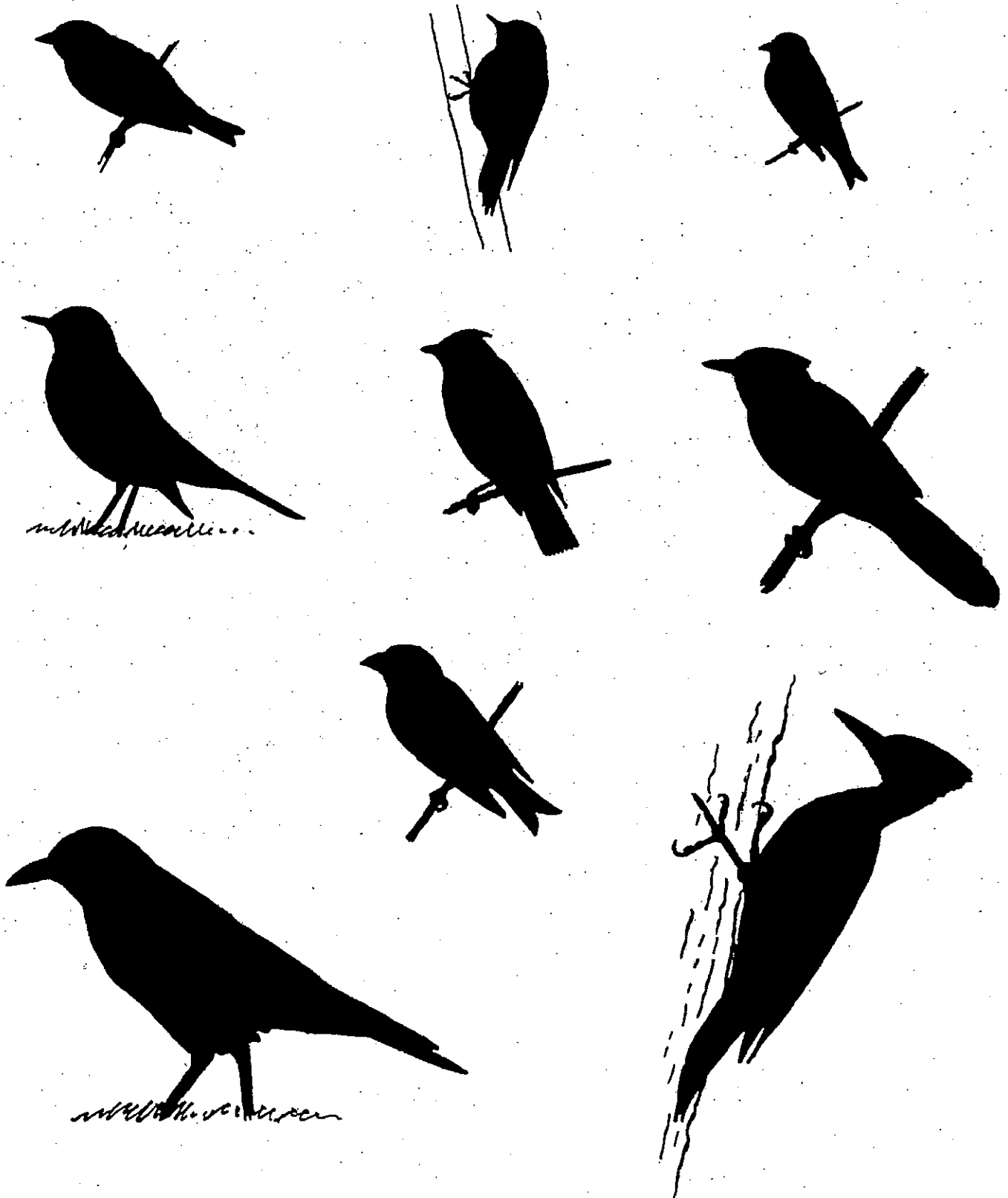


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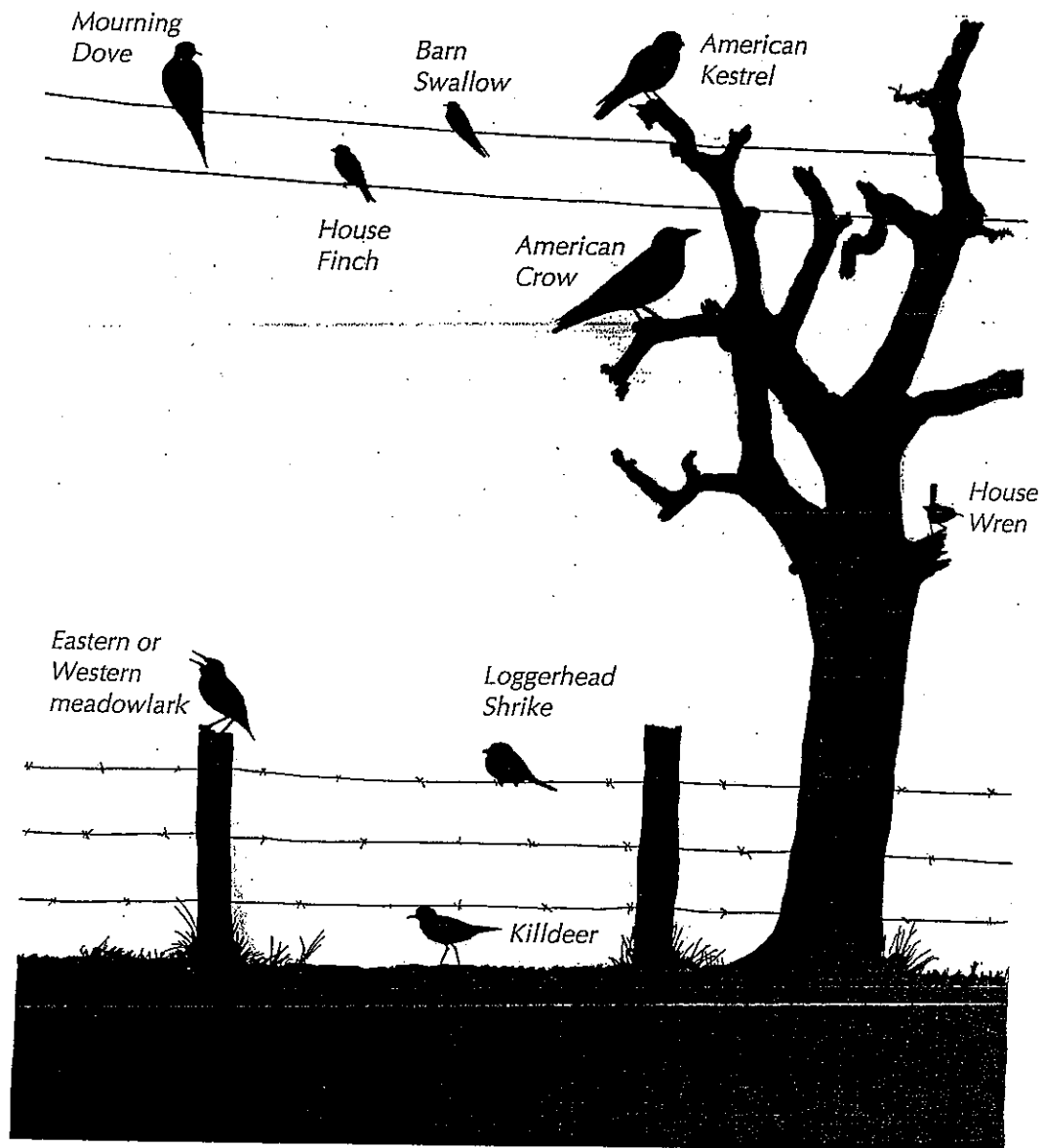
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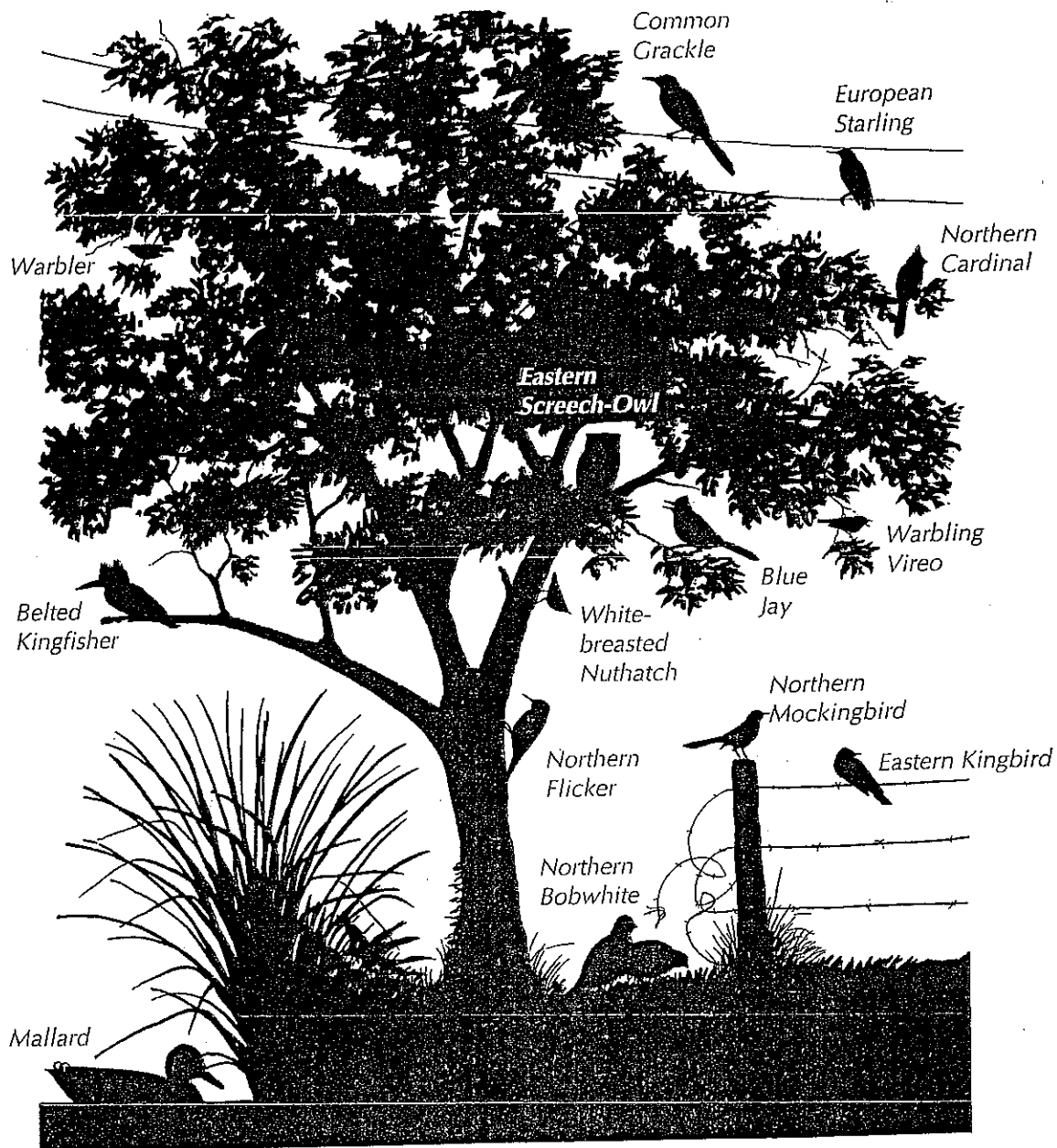
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Figure 6. Bird Shape Silhouettes. (Continued)

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Figure 6. Bird Shape Silhouettes. Shape can also be a useful characteristic for identifying birds. This figure is labeled with the birds' names for your convenience; the Workbook handouts that you will give your students are unlabeled.

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Size, Shape, and Habitat

Bird Sizes

When you are trying to identify a bird, it's often helpful to know whether it is closer in size to a sparrow, robin, or a crow.

1. Write down the lengths of a

House Sparrow_____ American Robin_____ American Crow_____

2. Using a field guide, find the lengths of the remaining birds and write them next to the birds.
3. List all birds in order of their size from smallest to largest.

Bird Shapes

Birds often have unique shapes that you can recognize. Look closely at the birds in the picture and notice their shapes.

- For each of the five birds your group was assigned, describe something about its shape that will help you identify it in the field or at the feeder.

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.

Bird Habitats

- For those same five birds, use a field guide to find out what kind of habitat each bird prefers.

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.